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Docket No.: 20350 US1 (C038435/0128572)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Divisional Application of: )

Tatsuo HOSHINO *et al.* ) Examiner: Maryam Monshipouri

Serial No.: 10/066,007 ) Art Unit: 1652

Filed: February 1, 2002 )

For: **ASTAXANTHIN SYNTHASE** )New York, New York  
October 13, 2004

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

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Sir/Madam:

This is in response to Examiner's Interviews conducted on October 6 and 8, 2004 ("Interviews"). No fee is believed to be due. If it is determined that a fee is due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-4467. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Please amend the application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:** none.

**REMARKS** begin on page 8 of this paper.